

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

HB 953 - SB 1025

March 20, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the State Election Commission to promulgate rules for the purpose of establishing a procedure for a person to register to vote and vote on the same day during the first week of early voting.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 2-2-109, applications for registration shall not be processed for 29 days before an election, except with the 30th day before an election falling on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday. In those instances, applications for registration shall be accepted and processed the next business day following such Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday.
- The proposed language is not establishing a procedure for same-day registration and voting during the first week of early voting.
- There will be no increase in state expenditures for the State Election Commission to establish a procedure by which same-day registration may be accomplished and promulgating rules accordingly.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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